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UNITED STATES.

[Reports to the Surgeon-General United States Marine-Hospital Service.]

Yellow fever at Brookhaven, Miss.

JACKSON, MISS., *November 16, 1900.*

At Brookhaven, Miss., yesterday, investigated the report, and find cases to be yellow fever; saw 1 which was moribund, had black vomit, and died last night; unable to see others on account darkness. Have had a consultation of physicians, with following result last night, yellow fever; am satisfied disease has existed since about September 1; number unknown, but many, and mixed with malarial fever and dengue. Return Brookhaven, Miss., to-day, with president State board to advise isolation and other precautions.

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WERTENBAKER.

Yellow fever at Natchez.

NATCHEZ, MISS., *November 19, 1900.*

No new cases in eight days; no deaths; weather very warm for past three days.

J. C. BALLARD,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

[Telegram.]

NATCHES, MISS., *November 22, 1900.*

Two other cases; no deaths; weather still summer heat.

J. C. BALLARD,
Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.